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### ITEMS OF INTEREST

All coal dealers have received coal the past week for distribution.

The Winnipeg Free Press makes a final estimate of the Alberta crop at 168,648,800 bushels.

The bituminous coal strike of the United States is ended and the miners are at work again.

It is possible that an auction sale of surplus stock on our government farms will be held in the near future.

The reduction in freight rates on potatoes means a decreased revenue of \$115,358, for the Canadian Pacific Railway, stated freight traffic manager W. B. Lanigan, recently.

It is estimated that at least 200 Alberta doctors will gather in Edmonton on September 6, 7 and 8, when the annual convention of the combined Alberta Hospital, nurses and medical association takes place.

At the meeting of the Alberta Press Association held in Vernon last week John Mackenzie, of Strathmore was elected president for the ensuing year and L. D. Nesbitt, of Bassano was elected secretary.

The Mennonites who left Saskatchewan for the Southern States would like to get back to their Western Canadian farms, according to several letters received by the Department of Immigration and Colonization, at Ottawa. Some of these communications are of the nature of appeals to be assisted back to their old farms.

Complete figures of the registration at the three normal schools of the province show that over 900 teachers are to be in training at these schools this fall. Approximately 1000 new teachers will be available for the schools at the end of this year's normal school term.

Farmers should exercise every caution in the matter of threshing their grain this year. Before allowing a threshing machine into their grain fields the should first make sure that the grain is perfectly dry and matured. If there will be any tough grain in this community it will be owing to farmers threshing too early.

The department of agriculture is now proceeding with the arrangements in connection with the new scheme for the marketing of seed grain announced last week. Prominent seed grain growers have written to the department expressing their approval of the new plan, and intimating that they will be ready to patronize it. The cleaning plant to be operated by the government will be installed shortly.

For making himself objectionable to and annoying a young woman at Staveland by forcing his attentions on her, Will Love, with a name appropriate to the charge and to his leanings, who comes from Kitchener, Ont., was on August 30, fined \$50 or 3 months by the magistrate at Clarendon. Not having the cash he has been brought down and lodged in the Lethbridge jail.

Under the prairie fires ordinance, a fire district has been created in the province as follows: North and west of a line starting at the point where the North Saskatchewan river intersects the fourth meridian, thence up stream to Edmonton, thence south along the C.P.R. to Calgary and Macleod, thence south between ranges 25 and 26 to the international boundary. Regulations controlling the starting of fires in this fire area have been issued, requiring permits to be obtained to start fires within the district. Circulars have been issued by the provincial fire guardian urging the public to observe these regulations.

A case of nearly total deafness being greatly relieved by wireless has been described by a well-known authority, Dr. Dan McKenzie. Wireless signals can be increased in loudness up to any degree by means of amplifying valves, so that they can be made audible to a deaf person; but the use of the ear in listening-in appears gradually to make it far more sensitive, so that by degrees the deafness gets less and the strength of the signals may be diminished. Experiments are also being made to employ wireless valves in order to amplify ordinary speech so that very deaf people may hear.

### LOCAL ITEMS

Buck & Howson's fall opening September 13 and 14.

Mrs. Frank Keiver spent last week as the guest of friends in Staveland.

We have often thought how uncomfortable the angels would feel if some of the religious fanatics of this hemisphere should ever be allowed access to heaven.

Divine service at the Union Church next Sunday at the usual hours, 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Morning subject, "Paul's Estimate of Life," and evening subject, "Man's Evil and God's Good." Everybody welcome.

According to Mr. Alex. Moore, U.F.A. for Cochrane, it is a case of one member of the Legislature waiting on the other for the return of the extra-sessional indemnity. "After you, my dear Alphonse," as the saying goes.

P. J. Roach, of Red Deer, has accepted a position with G. McQueen, Vulcan, and is in charge of the shoeing department of his blacksmith business, and the public is assured that Mac is desirous of giving the best possible service, and was fortunate in securing a mechanic with the experience and ability that is possessed by Mr. Roach.

I want a man to work on my farm. I don't give dancing lessons. I have no piano. I can't serve steak three times a day. I do give three square meals, a real bed, fair wages. If any man who knows a cow from a talking machine, can hear an alarm clock, gets up at 5 o'clock, wants the job, I will agree not to treat him like one of my family, but a darn sight better. Apply at the Steve Wiggins place, Intervale Road.—Exchange.

Emil Mutz has gone to Edmonton to attend college. Emil was one of the liveliest lads we had, a real boy and a hustler. He was a member of the junior choir, a school league hockey player, and into everything where boys are wont to go. A feature of the school picnic on Thursday was the presentation of a silver pencil to Emil, the gift of the choir. He goes to the capital with the best wishes of everybody.

P. B. Discher is the purchaser of the jewelry business from H. C. Jacques, and word is to hand that he will be here on the eighteenth to take over the business and become a citizen with us. He visited Vulcan before making the purchase, and the town looked good to him, and we trust that his venture will be no disappointment to him and that his coming will be an advantage to the town. Mr. Discher is an expert in his line.

"E. J. Gibson, secretary of the municipality, spoke on municipal affairs, and also on a swimming pool idea which sounded very feasible." This is a sentence from a published report of a meeting of the board of trade at Coronation, and the interest in it to us is the fact that it conveys the information that an organization similar to our community club, in a town similar to Vulcan, is discussing a project the same as that in which The Advocate has been endeavoring to interest our citizens and officials—a swimming pool. And Coronation is a town no better than Vulcan, except that they might make it so by putting in the pool before we do. The Advocate has been several times commended for our suggestion in reference to a swimming pool.

Visit Buck & Howson's on Wednesday and Thursday, September 13 and 14.

One-man street cars were put into operation on the Port Arthur-Fort William street railway on Sept. 1. Four cars are at present so equipped, while the others are being converted.

Classes at the University of Alberta will open September 27. Registration starts September 25. There will be one or two changes in the staff. Oscar Bridgman, from Harvard will be lecturer in physical chemistry. Dr. Colip, who has been absent, doing research work in Toronto, will return as professor in bio-chemistry. Prof. Newton, who has been engaged in research work in Minnesota will return to the faculty of agriculture as professor in field husbandry. The position vacated by Prof. Dowell, professor of animal husbandry, has not yet been filled. Prof. W. M. Fyfe has also resigned to go to the Institute of Technology of Massachusetts.

### LOCAL ITEMS

Mrs. McIntosh spent the week end in Lethbridge.

Mrs. G. Mitchell, of Calgary, was a visitor in Vulcan on Saturday.

W. R. Gardner, of Mount Hood, Oregon, has returned to Alberta and is in town.

Miss Dorothy McQueen has been engaged as teacher of the public school at Ensign.

Mrs. Murphy, of Medicine Hat, is a visitor in Vulcan, the guest of her sister, Mrs. R. L. Elves.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Neiman, former Vulcan citizens, were down from Calgary for a day or two.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Stark and little daughter have returned home to Vulcan after an extended trip to the East.

The Vancouver Province thinks the most popular hymn with the prairie graingrowers at present is "Blest Be the Tie That Binds."

Miss Merne Ramsay and Miss Margaret Ramsay, of Calgary, have been visiting here, guests of Mrs. C. W. Robson and the Misses Davis.

The silver tea and sale of plants and canned fruits, held at the home of Mrs. Pettman on Thursday last, was a very pleasing and successful event, and the result a splendid addition to the funds of the Union church ladies organization.

There will be a meeting of members of the School Fair committee and school teachers, at the primary school, at eight o'clock on September 16th. Let there be no one missing, for the fair to be the great success that it promises requires the best attention and support of all.

Mr. A. O. Craig started for Halifax last week on account of the illness of Mrs. Craig, but telegrams received while on the way were of such a satisfactory nature that he resolved to return to Vulcan. The splendid reports of the improved condition of Mrs. Craig are a satisfaction to many friends here.

Lem, who has managed the Royal Cafe for some years, has severed his connection with that concern with the sale of the business to another firm of Chinamen. Lem will go into a new line, and in a short time will leave for Havana, Cuba, where he will have the management of a Chinese theatre and will share in the direction of the companies presenting Chinese drama and vaudeville.

"Claim Biggest School Fair" is the big heading of an article in The Herald which claims that is what Foremost will have on September 13. We'll see. Vulcan and district has ambitions along that line. We do not wish Foremost any ill luck, even if their fair is on the thirteenth; but it will have to be big to beat Vulcan. The bigger the better for both. We do know that we have the best school fair prize list that we have been able to discover.

The silver shield, to be donated by Mr. J. A. Lindsay for the spelling match in connection with the Vulcan School Fair, has been received. It is a thing of beauty, splendidly engraved, and a trophy worthy of the best efforts of the pupils in the district. It should be an incentive to make the competition a feature of the fair. It is a credit to the donor, and is but one of the gifts made by Mr. Lindsay for the encouragement of the pupils in their studies.

Once more, and for the last time, we remind you of the visit of the Canadian Forestry Tree Planting Car to Vulcan on September 12th. A hearty invitation is extended to every citizen to visit the car, see the movies and hear Mr. Mitchell who will give a practical demonstration and explanation of what trees can do and have done in antidoting crop waste, and how the planting of trees on the prairies will help to eliminate the "bad years". It is a unique event that is attracting country-wide attention.

There is rivalry for the record of delivering the first load of grain to Vulcan this year. Last week we gave the credit to Jack Marshall for the first delivery to Dan Berringer at the Home elevator, and now Chet Wallace, of the Terwilliger elevator, claims the distinction for W. H. Journey. It is between them to settle this, but it is a matter of minutes either way. However, it is quite remarkable that the first loads should have arrived at practically the same time. Perhaps it should be called a draw, and at that we have beaten almost all the towns on early delivery.

### ONLY A YARN

A certain callow swain has an amazingly large mouth which he conformed into an all-pervading smile when he wished to make a good impression. His sweetie had persuaded him to "ask father", and the youth was determined to show himself to good advantage.

"Mister Jones," he began, stretching his principal feature to the utmost gentility. "I have come to ask for the hand of your daughter. I—"

"Just a moment, young man," interrupted the old gentleman mildly, "would you mind closing your mouth for a moment till I see who you are?"

### LOCAL ITEMS

Harold Buck has been ill for a time and is still confined to the house.

Miss Nellie Middleton has gone to Calgary to attend Normal School.

Miss Alma Lommetzsch is down from Calgary on a visit to her home here.

The Wednesday half-holidays ended last week—the last Wednesday in August.

The shooters were out in force on the first of the month, and many a duck came back.

Mr. J. P. Rogers left here last week for Willsville, Mo., on account of the illness of his father.

A. R. Laidlaw, one of the leading business men of High River, was a recent caller at The Advocate office.

Mrs. Gertrude Mitchell, of Calgary, a former resident here, was a visitor in Vulcan on Saturday.

Mr. D. L. McLellan, who has for some time been employed at the MacIntosh store, has decided to return to his native province, Nova Scotia, where he has secured a position as store-manager. Best wishes go with him.

It is mighty close going in the grain records. George Ecker, of the Pioneer elevator, reports the first shipment out of this year's wheat to the credit of Mr. Ed. Carruthers, and then along comes Dan Berringer, of the Home elevator, claiming big credit for Messrs. Dickinson Bros. Now for the big yield record.

The neighboring town of Champion had a big fire on Tuesday night, when a large billiard hall was destroyed and adjacent buildings damaged. It looked very bad for a time and an appeal for help was made to Vulcan. Municipal officials gave ready consent and the chemical apparatus and other equipment were at once loaded on motor trucks for transport to Champion, but luckily all round, the run down was not necessary.

Milo Grub is the new barber at the Club billiard hall shop, and besides being a smooth tonsorial artist he is a versatile musician. He will be a decided acquisition to the Citizen's Band, and as a violinist will be just what is required to give the town an all-Vulcan orchestra. He has the qualifications to make him a welcome citizen; he is big and fat and good natured, and just looks like a fellow that will be at home in this smile town.

There was an attendance of fifteen members of the Women's Institute at the first meeting after the holidays, at the home of the Simington on Friday. The speaker announced to attend was unable to be present, but it was a very interesting session. Preparations were commenced for the constituency conference to be held in Vulcan in October, and the several activities of the institute were given consideration. An institution of this kind is a distinct asset to the community—a sister to the community club.

Every lady in the district invited to attend Buck & Howson's fall opening, September 13 and 14.

The new course of study for the public schools of the province has now been printed, and has been distributed by the education department to all schools in the province. In cities where a superintendent is engaged, the course of study has been sent to his office. In all other cases, the books have been sent to the secretaries of the school districts. This plan of distribution has been adopted because there is as yet no complete list of teachers in their present locations available to the department. Teachers who have not yet received the course of studies should get into touch with their school boards at once. The new course is authorized for use in all the schools of the province during the present year, and each teacher should secure a copy at once. The course is the most detailed and complete of any province in Canada. It has been published in a most attractive form, and the course itself is most attractive. In the preparation of the course while considerable detail has been included, a nice balance has been retained between a necessary outline, and took great attention to method. The course is somewhat longer than the one it replaces, but it should prove very much more suggestive and helpful to the teacher. A close study of the course, and close adherence to its suggestions should result in more effective work particularly in such subjects as English, nature study and industrial arts.

### LOCAL ITEMS

Mrs. Priest, of Barons, was the guest of Mrs. Vanskiver last week.

Mr. Will Smith, of Barons, has accepted a position in the McIntosh store.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Hanna spent the week-end in High River and went fishing up the Highwood.

Miss Lily and Master Joe Korczynski returned home Sunday night from a few weeks visit at Winnipeg.

Anglican church services at the Odd Fellow's Hall, on Sunday, at the usual hours, 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.

Mrs. Spooner and son Bobbie have returned from a trip to Seattle and the several cities on the Pacific coast.

The first of the public weigh scales, to be operated by the Municipal District of Royal, are in operation at Ensign.

Master Charlie Kaiser is carrying a broken arm in a sling. A Ford did it. He was cranking the car when it all happened.

They certainly come here from everywhere. Ne noted a car on the street in front of Buck & Howson's carrying a Long Beach (California) license plate.

Mr. W. J. Hagan, traffic chief of the Alberta telephones, made an inspection call at Vulcan this week. With the staff that we have everything is always all right here.

Vulcan schools re-opened on Tuesday with the complete staff of seven teachers and an enrollment of 209 pupils, 22 of the number being new pupils in the primary department.

Little has been heard of late of the playground proposition. Everything has been arranged with the government for the exchange of properties that will give us the park site, but a deal like this is sometimes a slow process, and now we are waiting for the official surveyors to perform their part.

Constable Craig was placed in charge of the Alberta Provincial Police detachment at Vulcan on Monday. Constable Craig transferred to the provincial force from the "Mounties", in which he held rank as sergeant. Like many a man of the force, he was with the boys overseas. Mr. and Mrs. Craig will be a welcome addition to our town.

The members of the junior choir—the boys and girls who give us pleasure with their song, and who gave Vulcan fame by their performance at Lethbridge—had a picnic at the Little Bow on Thursday. It's a nice ride there and back, and the old swimmin' hole afforded lots of fun; the eats were plenty and good, and altogether it was a whale of an event. The arrival home of the lads and lassies was announced by their joyous shouts and happy song, evidenced of an outing that was a real satisfaction.

Secretary A. J. Flood, of the Municipal District of Royal, is now occupying the new municipal office quarters at the end of the street opposite the depot. The building has been so altered and appointed as to give splendid accommodation as an office, and there is a council chamber and other conveniences. The installation of public weigh scales is now under way, and what has for some time been an undertaker's warehouse will be one of the most live and active spots in town.

The Advocate man was in Calgary on Monday and had the pleasure of witnessing a splendid production of "Pollyanna" at the Grand theatre by the Royal Collins company. We were introduced to Mr. Collins and met several of our old theatrical friends, but our chief pleasure is in the message that we bring from them that there is more than a probability that Vulcan will get some dramatic attractions of class some time in the near future. We pass this good news to our readers who enjoy and patronize a good show now and then.

Buck & Howson are showing the very finest stock of ladies' coats and dresses ever on display in Vulcan.

We beg to announce to you that the Deputy Minister of Agriculture, Mr. H. A. Craig, has given his consent to this branch to offer prizes, at the next Provincial Seed air which will be held early in 1923 at Calgary, to the boys and girls who are first and second prize winners at each school fair, for the following exhibits: Collection of sheaves of one variety of oats, wheat, barley; two varieties of cultivated grasses; one alfalfa; one sheaf clover; one corn; one spring rye; one fall rye; sunflowers. In the case of wheat, oats and barley, with each sheaf exhibit there shall be one quart of threshed grain. All sheaves must be properly labelled. Sheaves should be three inches in diameter at the base of the head. Prizes will also be offered for the best noxious weed collection. It is our desire to stimulate interest in boys' and girls' work at the seed fair. We can assure you that the exhibits will be well arranged so as to do justice to everyone.

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### PRESS COMMENTS

Cardston Review: Town "chickens" are just like those on the farm. If you allow them to run around much, they get tough.

Hanna Herald: A Hanna lady was walking down Main street the other day and met a man. The man had both hands in his pockets; he spoke and smiled, but the hands remained in his pockets and his hat remained on his head. Is the conduct of the male person who fails to remove his hat when speaking to women and when riding in an elevator with them compatible with the appropriate behavior of a real gentleman nor is it an act of such discourtesy as stamps him a boor? Of course, your answer is that the propriety of the hat-lifting and non-hat-lifting depends upon circumstances. But, if this be true, is it not also true that the real gentleman is a gentleman under all circumstances. The self-respecting, well-bred man will instinctively bare his head when speaking to women on the street, and he will do so in the elevator in an apartment house or a hotel; in fact, he will not think it beneath his dignity to remove his hat in the elevator of an office building when there are women passengers, for the lifting of the hat should be the expression of man's self-respect and his esteem for pure womanhood, no matter what the circumstances.

Lomond Press: In reviewing local conditions upon sober reflection one cannot help but realize a decided improvement over last year. Debts are not going to see much of a reduction, to be sure, but the most people will be self-provident for the year. The rye crop is supplying plenty of fodder, so there need be no importations of hay. The west district will yield very good returns of wheat. The most serious aspect of the present situation is the fact that many people are abandoning the job. If the money invested in government relief and free freight had gone towards the installation of an irrigation system settlers would have been moving in instead of out. The government would be deriving a revenue in taxes instead of holding the "south problem" on its hands. The railways would have traffic, and we people would be lifted from out this depressing environment resulting from the successive defeat of our every enterprise. We have lost our pep. We suffer from 'lack of morale.' Our social and religious sensibilities are deadened. We have but few socials, parties, concerts or celebrations. We have no opportunity to practice benevolence, except in a most pecuniary manner. If our public men lack the courage and vision to handle the irrigation problem, may the pity of heaven console the mortgage companies.

Bassano Mail: The member of the legislature for Leduc was away on his honeymoon in China or Japan or some such dreamy oriental setting when the Alberta law-makers gathered to frame the wheat board legislation. When it came to passing the now famous \$250 indemnity the Leduc bridegroom had shown considerable foresight, for he had apparently furnished Premier Greenfield with a certificate stating that he was sick. It may be that he was sick of his rash deed when he madly threw away his personal liberty on the altar of Hymen; perhaps he was enchanted with the luxurious east and long wash of the China seas; or perhaps the man was seasick. Anyway the member for Leduc got his honorarium (or whatever they call it) and he wasn't on the job to earn it. This is another item that has proved a source of irritation to several locals of the United Farmers of Alberta. Ridgewood Local has demanded a return of the \$250 and seems to disbelieve the protestations of illness made by the member for Leduc.

The fellow who invested in German marks is now finding he was an easy mark.

### FARMERS' DOLLAR

In the last few days the East Oregonian has made diligent inquiry as to how much money wheat farmers of Umatilla county will make this year. One banker says that the majority of farmers will actually lose money on a basis of present wheat prices. Another declares they will make little if any profit, while a third banker takes the view that careful farmers who have held expenses down closely will make small profits. He gives illustrations to show that in some cases at least this will be true.

Yet many farmers have sold some wheat at \$1 per bushel or thereabouts. In prewar days that would have been considered a splendid price. So would 90 cents have been so considered. Why then is not wheat growing profitable at present prices?

There is but one answer. The dollar the farmer gets is not worth enough. Otherwise all would be lovely. The facts are that the price of wheat has been deflated but the farmers' living costs have not been deflated proportionately. According to the department of agriculture the farmer's dollar is worth 72 cents and its value is falling. There seems no escape from this conclusion and also from the conclusion that the buying power of agriculture cannot be restored until a greater equilibrium is provided. Since the west is primarily an agricultural country business revival will have to be slow under such conditions. No amount of optimism can make good times when a farmer cannot make a good profit on \$1 wheat.

It is unfortunate that the downward sweep in living costs was checked. If it had continued all would be well and the farmer would have come into his own. So would labor for the worker does not object much to reduced wages if living costs come down proportionately.

There have been forces at work to "stabilize prices" and they have met with too much success. They have worked in different ways. In the case of sugar the Cuban sugar growers have presented unquestionable evidence that they were commanded to restrict their production or face a tariff that would almost bar their production from this country. They would not or could not reduce production so the new tariff provides the highest duty on sugar known in 50 years. That will be a good thing for the best sugar manufacturers but they provide only 15 per cent of the sugar used in this country. The result is that in order to provide a higher price to those who produce this 15 per cent the American people must also pay a higher price for the 85 per cent not produced by the best sugar men.

What is true of sugar is true of innumerable other lines. It is frankly admitted by all irrespective of partisanship that the new tariff bill is a price boosting agency—but it does not boost prices to the farmer. The wheat

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price is governed by the export demand. The new tariff may be a good thing for the manufacturing sections but it is hard to see where the American farmer can get any joy out of it. The foreign debt question also offers some interesting features. Many advise that we cancel the debt of \$11,000,000,000 owed to the United States by European countries. That sounds like a peculiar request, and what is back of it? The East Oregonian has a theory the demand comes largely from interests that know that the debt if paid must be paid in goods, not in money. They don't want foreign manufactured articles brought to this country because that would deflate the price of American goods.

But is not such deflation just what the country needs and particularly what agricultural regions need? Would it not make the farmers dollar worth more and thereby provide the remedy we seek for present conditions? In other words if we would let nature take its course conditions would right themselves, but we are not letting nature take its course, except in spots. In many lines we retard nature's process with the result that few benefit but the majority of people are victimized.—East Oregonian.

Interest in the accomplishments possible under irrigation has been stimulated during the past week by the announcement that the Canada Land and Irrigation Co. whose project lies west of Medicine Hat, has been able to produce satisfactorily a quantity of cantaloupe. From a plot of two acres, the company expects this year to have from 100 to 150 cases of the fruit to ship.

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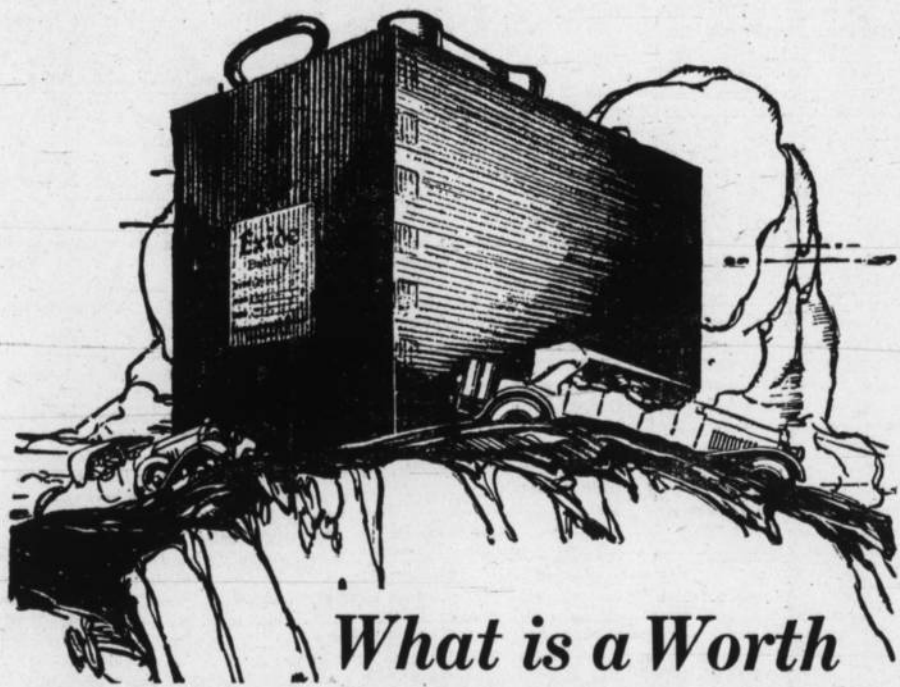
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Classes in the agricultural schools of the province will open for the 1922-23 term on October 31. The classes will be conducted this year at four schools, these being at Raymond, Claresholm, Olds and Vermilion.

Arrangements have been made by the department of agriculture so that prospective students from the Gleichen and Youngstown districts will be transported free of charge to the schools at Claresholm or at Olds. A particularly good attendance is looked for at the four schools this year. The courses in agriculture and home economics provided for the older boys and girls of the farm at these schools have become far-famed and it is expected that more students will be able to take advantage of them this year. As is known, the courses are free, the only cost to the student being that of room and board. Dormitory accommodation is provided for girls at Olds and Claresholm, but room and board can be had reasonably at all four towns in respectable homes. At three of these schools, Olds, Claresholm and Raymond, special courses in irrigation will be given. The instructor is E. E. Eisenhauer. The staffs of the schools for the coming term are now about completed and will be announced shortly.

### IMMENSE WEALTH

A balance sheet showing \$60,000,000 net profits for the Ford Motor Company during the year up to last April was flouted in Wall Street on Tuesday at the direction of Henry Ford. On April 30 the company had \$148,615,384 cash and debts receivable, an increase of \$58,620,000 during the year. Accounts and notes payable decreased more than \$15,000,000. Total accumulated surplus earnings were \$240,478,000 compared with \$182,877,000 twelve months before.

The total assets of the Ford Motor Company are \$409,820,132.92 according to the annual financial statement filed today in the office of the secretary of state in connection with the corporation tax returns of the concerns that paid the maximum fee of \$10,000. The statement is of June 30, 1922, and the company's surplus is shown as \$289,925,296.40.

### WESTERN CATTLE

Action of the western Canadian cattle raisers in appealing directly to farmers and farm organizations in the United States for reduction of tariff rates on feeder cattle so that Canadian feeders can be shipped into the corn belt in this country and fattened, has met favorable response from the American bureau federation, which has enormous membership among United States farmers. The federation has taken the unusual step of spreading broadcast in this country the arguments of the Canadian farmers. This is accounted for by the fact that many United States farmers with big corn crops on hand which they cannot market because of railroad conditions, are anxious to buy feeder cattle.

Cattle buyers from Iowa are buying stock in the Wetaskiwin district.

### ITEMS OF INTEREST

The labor party in Britain want a 44-hour week, here they want 40 hours.

The sum of \$10,000 was paid for a half section of land near Wainwright recently.

Three Liberals and two conservatives were elected in the recent by-elections held in P. E. I.

Damage to the extent of \$4,000 was done to the Guy Standish pool hall, in a fire at Champion on Sept. 2.

The Hon. J. A. Stewart, ex-minister of railways in the Meighen Government is critically ill at Montreal.

A bald-headed eagle measuring 6ft. 11 inches from tip to tip of wings was lately obtained in the Waterton Lakes district.

There has been an average attendance of pupils during the past eight years of 137 at the Olds school of agriculture.

A bad fire occurred near Carmangay when Mrs. Burns' stables was destroyed including nine horses and equipment of harness, etc. Loss will be about \$6000.00.

The reduction in freight rates on potatoes means a decreased revenue of \$115,358, for the Canadian Pacific Railway, stated freight traffic manager W. B. Lanigan, recently.

Western Canada will ship considerably more wheat to Japan the coming season than formerly, according to a statement made by a director of a large Japanese grain firm at present visiting Alberta.

A party of four students from Toronto University, engaged in forestry department work are at present in the Pekisko district making a topographical survey of the foothill region. Supplies were purchased in High River this morning and a truck was sent out to supply the wants of the surveyors.

Henry Ford, the automobile builder, is tackling the job against the coal barons of the United States, whom he claims are responsible for the high price of coal. He states that there is plenty of coal in storage at present. His factory closes on September 16 because of lack of fuel and about 300,000 men will be thrown out of work.

Progress on the construction of the Lethbridge Northern irrigation project has been rapid this year and 95 per cent. of the project is now completed. Water should be through the ditches this fall, making possible the use of the water for crops of next year. The offices of the irrigation council at Lethbridge have issued a handsome booklet on the attractions of the Lethbridge Northern district.

Representatives of the Dominion Department of Agriculture are en route to South America, to investigate opportunities for establishing a market for pure bred Canadian cattle in the Argentine Republic, Brazil and Uruguay. As the latter two countries are recognized by live stock authorities as likely to be among the important sources of the world's future meat supplies, a special study of the methods employed in breeding, feeding and registering purebred cattle will be undertaken.

The Japanese cruiser Nitaka went down in a typhoon on August 28th and all the crew of 800 were lost.

The British parliamentary party which are to make a tour of Canada landed in Montreal on August 30th.

Mine workers in Alberta and B.C. will revert to wage scale of 1921 was announced by the minister of labor at Ottawa on September 2.

A yield of 42,000 bushels of wheat from 1700 acres is expected from the farms of the Ohio Farming Co. south of Lethbridge this fall.

John Wilson of Innisfail and J. C. Yale of Carstairs will be judges at the Toronto Exhibition this year of here-fords and shorthorns. Both good men.

The twelve-mile extension of the Lacombe and Blindman Valley railway west of Lacombe will be completed in time to handle the crop this fall, it is stated.

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There is one way to make money by dealing with the mail order houses but it isn't by buying goods from them.

The man who thinks he is making money by buying his goods from mail order houses has only to read of the amazing profits made by some of these big corporations to realize that all the money is being made by the man on the other end of the deal.

The stockholder in a big mail order concern toils not and neither does he spin, but he piles up his money so fast that it makes the ordinary man's head swim to read about it. Here is the experience of the stockholder in one of the large mail order concerns, as told by a reliable financial journal. It gives a glimpse into the inside workings of the mail order business that should be of interest to those who have made such things possible.

#### HOW THE GAME WORKS

In 1908 this man bought 600 shares of stock in the mail order corporation in question when the stock was selling around \$40 a share, the 600 shares costing him a little less than \$25,000. In 1911 the company declared a stock dividend of 33 1-3 per cent.

Other words the company after paying cash dividends regularly, had accumulated a surplus profit of one-third of the amount of capital invested in the business; but instead of distributing this profit among the stockholders the company kept the money in the business and issued stock for that amount to the stockholders. By this action 200 more shares of stock were issued to the man who had originally bought 600, increasing his holdings to 800 shares, without his having put any more money into the business.

Another stock dividend of 50 per cent. was declared in 1915 and this added 400 shares more to his holdings, giving him 1,200 shares in all. A third stock dividend of 25 per cent. was paid early in 1917, bringing the man's stock holdings up to 1,500 shares, still without his having paid in any more money. On this 1,500 shares of stock, cash dividends of \$8 a share are now being paid. This investor therefore is now receiving \$12,000 a year from his original investment of about \$25,000, and as the stock is now worth around \$160 a share, the present market value of his stock is \$240,000, giving him a profit of \$15,000, in addition to cash dividends which he received during nine years, amounting to many more thousands of dollars.

This is the story of just one small stockholder in one mail order concern. A profit of more than \$215,000 made by one small stockholder in nine years on an investment of less than \$25,000! It reads like fiction but it is financial history. There are hundreds of other stockholders in this and other mail order corporations, some of whom have made millions while this man made thousands. Add the profits of all these stockholders together and the result is a sum that staggers the imagination.

Small wonder that the men who own the stock of the big mail order houses can live in palaces, ride in the highest-priced automobiles, own palatial private yachts and buy \$100,000 paintings. But who has furnished the money to pay for the palaces and the automobiles and the yachts and the \$100,000 paintings? The people in the country and the small towns who have kept an endless stream of money flowing into the coffers of the mail order houses have made all this possible. Their millions of dollars have gone to the big cities to build up these great concerns. Their millions of dollars have provided the automobiles and yachts and other luxuries for the stockholders in these corporations.

#### PRESENT FROM MAIL ORDER BUYERS

These men who have piled up such big fortunes in the mail order business have not even had to pay for much of the stock from which they are now drawing princely dividends. The people in the country and the small towns, generous souls, have bought it for them. This is shown in the case of the stockholder just mentioned, who originally invested. The generous mail order buyers have made him a present of \$215,000 worth of stock and he has not had to turn his hand over to get it. He has never even had to so much as write a letter to get it. The generous mail order buyers have handed it to him on a golden platter.

There's money in the mail order business without a doubt, but it's on the side of the man who does the selling and not the one who does the buying. If you must do business with the mail order house, buy some of its stock and let the fellow in the next town buy your automobiles and private yachts while he struggles with the hard times that come from draining his town of the cash that goes to keep you in luxury.

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This offer is made to holders of the maturing bonds and is not open to other investors. The bonds to be issued under this proposal will be substantially of the same character as those which are maturing, except that the exemption from taxation does not apply to the new issue.

Holders of the maturing bonds who wish to avail themselves of this conversion privilege should take their bonds AS EARLY AS POSSIBLE, BUT NOT LATER THAN SEPTEMBER 30th, to a Branch of any Chartered Bank in Canada and receive in exchange an official receipt for the bonds surrendered, containing an undertaking to deliver the corresponding bonds of the new issue.

Holders of maturing fully registered bonds, interest payable by cheque from Ottawa, will receive their December 1 interest cheque as usual. Holders of coupon bonds will detach and retain the last unmaturing coupon before surrendering the bond itself for conversion purposes.

The surrendered bonds will be forwarded by banks to the Minister of Finance at Ottawa, where they will be exchanged for bonds of the new issue, in fully registered, or coupon registered or coupon bearer form carrying interest payable 1st May and 1st November of each year of the duration of the loan, the first interest payment accruing and payable 1st May, 1923. Bonds of the new issue will be sent to the banks for delivery immediately after the receipt of the surrendered bonds.

The bonds of the maturing issue which are not converted under this proposal will be paid off in cash on the 1st December, 1922.

W. S. FIELDING,  
 Minister of Finance.

Dated at Ottawa, 8th August, 1922.



## GENERAL NEWS

Every man in Canada who wants work can get it, according to managers of labor bureaux who are advertising for men. There is plenty of work, it is claimed, and more jobs than there are applicants for them. The majority of vacant positions is for laborers though the situation regarding skilled labor is stated to be brighter.

At a recent meeting of the United Seed Growers it was reported that the business booked so far this year is greater than the total volume of trade in 1921. Express shipments of fruit from Leticia this year are double those of the same time a year ago. There have been approximately 20,000 crates of fruit expressed from this point already.

The problem of financing the schools in the dry area is one to cause a good bit of worry to the school officials. Lomond is well among the rest to suffer. The percentage of taxes in sight is relatively small. The children must have school so the people must make some special sacrifice in order to maintain them. Midway school will have school until Christmas, having enough taxes paid to maintain it till then, but First Chance school has no chance of having any, according to word received by the inspector.

The Editor of the "Farm & Ranch Review" discussing livestock markets for the farmer who raises work horses and mares, says: "Our best market for this class of stock in past years has been the immigrant. Now immigration has practically come to a full stop with the prohibitive restrictions our government has placed on the influx of people into Canada and there is very little chance of any large movement of settlers to our shores for some time to come. Until that time comes, I am very much afraid our horse market is going to remain slack."

Five crops being harvested this week on one farm is an unusual occurrence in Alberta, but such took place at the Round T. ranch this week, when Mr. Bennis stated that the cutting of wheat, oats, rye hay, alfalfa and sunflowers was in progress. The crop on the Ranch T farm is probably the best and heaviest in the entire province and the quality of grain and grasses cannot be excelled. We would like to see a provincial competition in this respect when we believe the crop on this farm would take first place. This is the second cutting of alfalfa and rye hay taken off this year, the alfalfa field of 30 acres will yield 100 tons. The sunflowers are in fine condition and the crop from 100 acres will give the stock on the ranch a succulent fodder during the winter months. The large silos erected last year will be taxed to the utmost to hold the entire crop of sunflowers which will yield in the neighborhood of twelve or thirteen hundred tons of green silage.

Western Canada will ship considerably more wheat to Japan the coming season than formerly, according to a statement made by a director of a large Japanese grain firm at present visiting Alberta.

## FALL MARKET PRICES

Beef—Some very nice steers in Calgary yards this week, and prices held fairly well up to Wednesday, but Thursday's sales are weaker. Choice heavy steers, \$4.65@5.50; choice light \$4.50@5.50; good, \$4@4.50; medium, \$3@3.75. Choice cows and heifers, \$3.25@3.50; good cows, \$2.50@3.25; medium, \$2@2.50; common, \$1.25@2; canners, \$1@1.25. Choice bulls slightly advanced at \$1.75@2.25; medium, \$1.25@1.75; common, \$1@1.25. Calves slightly advanced; choice veal, \$3.50@4.25; common, \$2@3.50. Active buying, with choice feeders \$4 and down to \$3; with stocker steers, \$2@3.64; some short keep feeders bringing higher prices. Stocker heifers, \$1.50@2.75. Stock cows, \$1.25@2.

Calgary receipts light this week; choice lambs from \$10.25 down; wethers, \$8 down; ewes, \$7 down.

Creamery butter trade in southern part of province fairly steady; trade chiefly with coast, selling price shipping point, basis specials, 34c@34½c; No. 1 cartons, 40c; not much Alberta business with east, as prices there are low. Dairy butter receipts light, fancy table, 24c@26c; grade prices by dealers, 19c@22c on No. 1; 16c@18c on No. 2. Butterfat prices unchanged; manufacturers think price too high when compared with butter quotations; no change in sight unless butter goes down to basis where it has to be shipped east. Poultry: Springs, 12c@14c; fowl, 8c@10c; ducks, 14c. Live weight; better ship heavy chickens before prices break. Potatoes: New crop coming on well; no prices forecasted.

Not much movement in new crop of upland hay; dealers quoting buying prices in Saskatchewan around \$11; Alberta buying prices \$13@18, at country points, from farmers; timothy in Pincher and Coaldale around \$25. Feed conditions and green feed coming along well.

Very little Alberta wool to be moved; dealers find difficulty in making up cars, and quote 14c@16½c for ranche clip.

Demand for hides rather quiet, and though prices are unchanged there are some who look for lower prices. Green salted butcher hides 6c; kip, 6c@8c; calf, 8c@10c; farm killed at value.

Very little movement on fur market, with prospects of good fall business.

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## PRICE OF POTATOES ?

(Market Examiner)

The only movement in potatoes now is in the new crop and that is not of much interest to the ordinary producer. The crop is still making satisfactory progress and dealers report that many producers are making inquiries as to what the price will be. There is nobody in a position to forecast on that. However, there is not a large crop in B.C. by any means and that should help the Alberta producer.

The new crop, which is being marketed so far shows a very fine quality and fields which have been sampled show a good growth, free from scab and a nice size. If Alberta can put on a good grade of potatoes this year it should mean much less importing from B.C. than in former years. There are altogether too many people who think they have to buy B.C. potatoes and the difference in most cases is only in the price. Any person who can't get Alberta potatoes that are good enough to eat, must be pretty darn fussy. Producers can do their share by putting only good stock on the market and the result will be a better demand and a better price.

## A BIG DIFFERENCE

Last week a local farmer received his returns for a cow he had shipped to Winnipeg. The animal weighed 850 pounds, and for same he received the magnificent sum of two cents per pound, or \$17.00 gross. Expenses amounted to \$7.31, leaving him \$9.69 for his cow, about the price of a good pair of shoes. Oh, no! it wasn't a case of robbery by the consignees, for the animal was sold to the United Grain Growers.

But that isn't the worst we can cite. Another local farmer shipped a three-year-old steer the other day to the same company. It weighed 950 pounds, and he secured one cent per pound. That steer which took three years to raise netted said farmer the exact sum of 97 cents.

Now, here is another side of the picture. In the same car with the 97-cent animal was another steer which weighed 1,340 pounds, but which netted the owner the handsome sum of \$87.

The cattle market is in bad shape—lamentably bad from the viewpoint gained in a period of inflation. But in one respect the cattle market has not changed from what it was in pre-inflation days; it still pays immeasurably better returns on good stuff than on poor.—Alberta paper

## REMOVING THE HIDE

There is severe criticism of the way the farmers take their hides off when butchering at home in a recent issue of the B.C. United Farmer. In an interview which they had with a member of the Christie Boot Factory firm, who was commenting on the wide spread between the value placed on packer hides and those from the farm.

The wide difference, he said, was caused by the fact that the packer placed a premium on the care with which the hides were removed and cured for. The work of the butcher in those establishments was watched very closely and the men were penalized for every cut made in a hide by them. The average farmer, on the other hand, did not seem to care how he got the hide off, and it was frequently so full of holes as to be practically useless.

"But isn't it a matter of experience and not carelessness?" he was asked. "No," was the emphatic reply. "It is pure carelessness. Anyone can take a hide off without cutting it if he is willing to take the trouble and provides himself with a knife reasonably well suited to the work."

Splendid corn has been grown in Alberta this year, equal to samples coming from corn growing countries.

## BRANT NEWS

Mr. George Green was a Calgary visitor the later part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. Downing and little son George left for Calgary Saturday last.

The Ladies' Aid will hold their monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Dan Harper.

Margaret McKay and Loretto Thomas spent Sunday afternoon with Vella Bateman.

Mrs. Sam Tetrault has been engaged to teach the old Brant school the coming term.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Holden motored to Calgary to spend Sunday with their children who are attending school there.

Loretto Thomas, Hildagarde Heckle and Dorothy Johns are taking music lessons from Miss La Clare Saturday of each week.

Within the next two days the Brant district will have at least fifteen threshing machines running within a radius of ten miles.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Horsefield and little son of Carmangay spent Sunday with Mrs. Horsefield's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Olsen.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Donnelly and little daughter, Mildred, returned Saturday last from their two weeks' vacation at Sylvan Lake.

Mr. George James motored to High River Friday to bring home Mr. Jack Pettifer who has been ill in the High River hospital for the past week.

Dr. and Mrs. Dawny and daughter, Madge, who have been the guests of the Hickie brothers, returned last week to their home in Spokane, Wash.

Mr. and Mrs. Don McLaren motored to Calgary Saturday to spend Sunday and Labor Day with relatives and friends. Labor day being a school holiday.

The Shirk Bros. were the first to start threshing. They started on Kenneth Bateman's crop. We have not learned how the grain is turning out.

Mr. Vern Parker also Darce and Edward Olsen have been helping L. J. St. Clair with his grain cutting the past few days. They expect to finish today, Monday.

Mr. Wm. or "Dad" Fletcher and son Frank we learn will run two threshing outfits this fall. Dad and son have only two thousand acres to thresh for themselves all fine crop.

Mrs. Bourke and children, wife of C. P. R. station agent, returned from their three months' visit in New Brunswick, with Mrs. Bourke's parents and other relatives.

Mr. G. B. Wilson will start his threshing machine Tuesday of this week on the Heckle Bros. crop. He has one of the best threshing outfits in the district and should have a good run.

Mrs. Wm. Auld has always been known to have the finest garden, both flowers and vegetables, and we learn she will soon have ripe tomatoes, so don't say tomatoes won't ripen in Alberta.

The new scales are nearing completion and will be in readiness for the farmer as soon as threshing begins. It is not yet learned who will be the weigh man. The municipality has three other scales along the line located at Ensign, Vulcan and Kirkcaldy.

Rev. Mr. Fawcett and family have returned from their vacation spent at Gull Lake. It seems good to see Mr. Fawcett fill the pulpit once again. Mr. Fawcett's parent of Calgary who are visiting them came to our little village with Mr. Fawcett and family for church services Sunday last.

It would appear from an Edmonton despatch that Cabinet Ministers have all accepted the \$250 indemnity for the special session held at Edmonton for Wheat Board legislation. If it is a case of "shelling out," the initiative will have to be taken by those higher up, it would seem.

## BRIBING CONDUCTORS

The first prosecution undertaken in Canada under the amendment to the criminal code, passed in 1920, against the bribing of railway conductors by persons wishing to get cheap transportation, resulted in the committal for trial of Ike Leiter and Abram Mayoff, both of Montreal. Evidence was read to the effect that the two men on different occasions had promised to "fix" conductors on the Canadian Pacific line between Montreal and Ste. Agathe, so that various persons could ride to Montreal for \$1.

## THE INSTINCT TO DESTROY

Five Toronto youths ranging from six years of age to ten, entered a house during the absence of its occupants and proceeded to amuse themselves by destroying its contents.

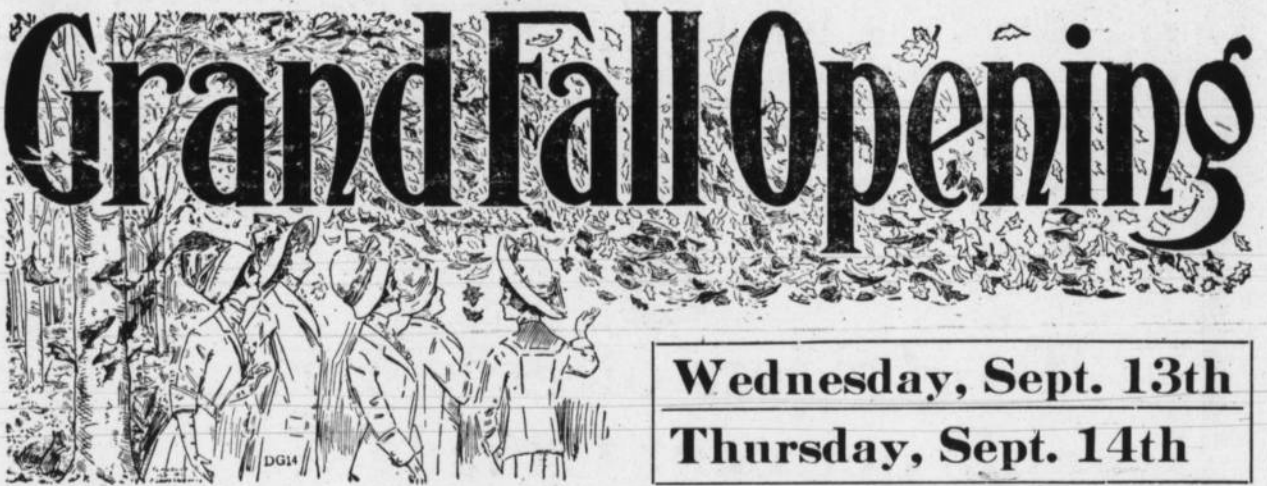
They succeeded very well. With the aid of a hose they flooded the floors, they smashed the fruit jars and emptied the drawers and did as much damage as they could in the time at their disposal. We are told that all the boys came from good homes, and had all good school records, and we have the assurance of their parents that they were not influenced by the movies or by dime novels or by comic strips in the papers.

Perhaps it is not necessary to seek any other explanation than that boys are boys. The spirit of destruction is strong in human nature. It appears to be particularly strong in children; but probably it is only an appearance. Age and experience give a power of control, which, of course, must be lacking in youth. When anything happens to remove or relax the control, the desire to destroy for the love of destruction soon shows itself. This was made familiar to everyone during the war. It is illustrated in Ireland today. It is seen every time there is a riot or an outbreak of mob violence. It is sometimes said that the highest achievements of modern civilization are the weapons of destruction.

Henry Ford, the automobile builder, is tackling the job against the coal barons of the United States, whom he claims are responsible for the high price of coal. He states that there is plenty of coal in storage at present. His factory closes on September 16 because of lack of fuel and about 800,000 men will be thrown out of work.



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